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wide by 193 centimeters (approximately 76 inches) long.

- (f) Adjacent berths must be separated by a partition that extends at least 46 centimeters (approximately 18 inches) above the sleeping surface.
- (g) The bottom of a lower berth must be at least 30 centimeters (approximately 12 inches) above the deck.
- (h) The bottom of an upper berth must be at least 76 centimeters (approximately 2 feet 6 inches) from the bottom of the berth below it and from the deck or any pipe, ventilating duct, or other overhead installation.
- (i) Each berth must have a berth light.
- (j) Each occupant of a sleeping space must have a readily accessible locker of hard, smooth material.
- (k) Each locker must be at least .194 square meters (approximately 300 square inches) in cross section and 1.53 meters (approximately 60 inches) high.

## § 108.205 Wash spaces; toilet spaces; and shower spaces.

- (a) For the purposes of this section—
- (1) "Private facility" means a toilet, washing, or shower space that is accessible only from one single or double occupancy sleeping space;
- (2) "Semi-private facility" means a toilet, washing or shower space that is accessible from either of two one-to-four person occupancy sleeping spaces; and
- (3) "Public facility" means a toilet, washing, or shower space that is not private or semi-private.
- (b) Each private facility must have one toilet, one shower, and one washbasin, all of which may be in a single space.
- (c) Each semi-private facility must have at least one toilet and one shower, which may be in a single space.
- (d) Each room adjoining a semi-private facility must have a washbasin if a washbasin is not installed in a semi-private facility.
- (e) Each unit must have enough public facilities to provide at least one toilet, one shower, and one washbasin for each eight persons who occupy sleeping spaces that do not have private or semi-private facilities.

- (f) Urinals may be installed in toilet rooms, but no toilet required in this section may be replaced by a urinal.
- (g) Each public toilet space and washing space must be convenient to the sleeping space that it serves.
- (h) No public facility may open into any sleeping space.
- (i) Each washbasin, shower, and bathtub must have hot and cold running water.
- (j) Adjacent toilets must be separated by a partition that is open at the top and bottom for ventilation and cleaning.
- (k) Public toilet facilities and shower facilities must be separated.
- (1) Each public facility that is a toilet space must have at least one washbasin unless the only access to the toilet space is through a washing space.
- (m) Each toilet must have an open front seat.
- (n) Each washing space and toilet space must be so constructed and arranged that it can be kept in a clean and sanitary condition and the plumbing and mechanical appliances kept in good working order.
- (o) Washbasins may be located in sleeping spaces.

## § 108.207 Messrooms.

- (a) Each messroom that is not adjacent to the galley that serves it must be equipped with a steamtable.
- (b) Each messroom must seat the number of persons expected to eat in the messroom at one time.

## § 108.209 Hospital spaces.

- (a) Each unit carrying twelve or more persons on a voyage of more than three days must have a hospital space.
- (b) Each hospital space must be suitably separated from other spaces.
- (c) No hospital space may be used for any other purpose, when used for care of the sick.
- (d) An entrance to each hospital space must be wide enough and arranged to readily admit a person on a stretcher.
- (e) Each berth in a hospital space must be made of metal.
- (f) Each upper berth must be hinged and arranged so that it can be secured clear of the lower berth.